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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 20, Claim 13, line 58, change the words "Art optical" to -- An optical --

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